

IN THE CLAIMS:

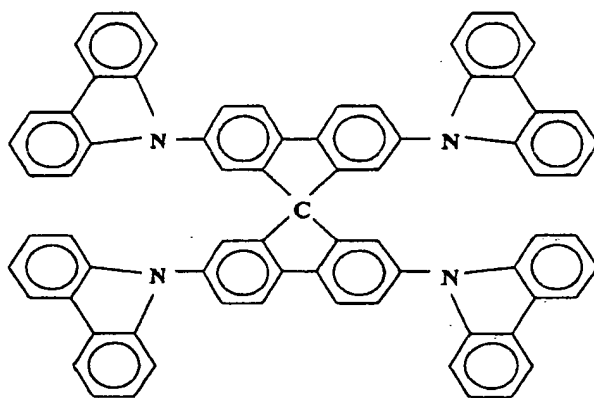
Please amend claims 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11 as follows:

1. (Currently amended) A light emitting device comprising an electroluminescence element, said electroluminescence element comprising:

a luminescent layer comprising an organic compound, said luminescent layer capable of converting triplet excitation energy into light to be emitted; and

a host material for said luminescent layer,

wherein said host material comprises a material expressed by the following formula



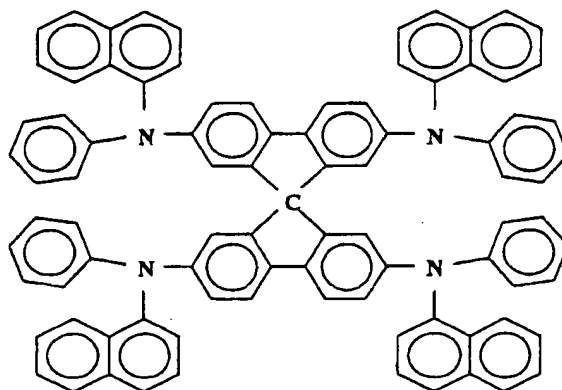
2. (Original) An electronic appliance comprising said light emitting device according to claim 1, wherein said electronic appliance is selected from the group consisting of an organic electroluminescence display, a video camera, a digital camera, a portable computer, a personal computer, a mobile telephone, and an acoustic equipment.

3. (Currently amended) A light emitting device comprising an electroluminescence element, said electroluminescence element comprising:

at least a hole transport layer; and

a luminescent layer comprising an organic compound adjacent to said hole transport layer, said luminescent layer being capable of converting triplet excitation energy into light to be emitted; and

wherein said hole transport layer comprises a material expressed by the following formula



4. (Original) An electronic appliance comprising said light emitting device according to claim 3, wherein said electronic appliance is selected from the group consisting of an organic electroluminescence display, a video camera, a digital camera, a portable computer, a personal computer, a mobile telephone, and an acoustic equipment.

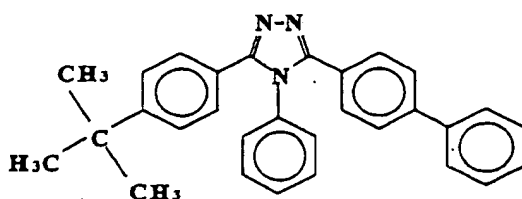
5. (Currently amended) A light emitting device comprising an electroluminescence element, said electroluminescence element comprising:

at least a luminescent layer comprising an organic compound, said luminescent layer capable of converting triplet excitation energy into light to be emitted;

a host material for said luminescent layer; and

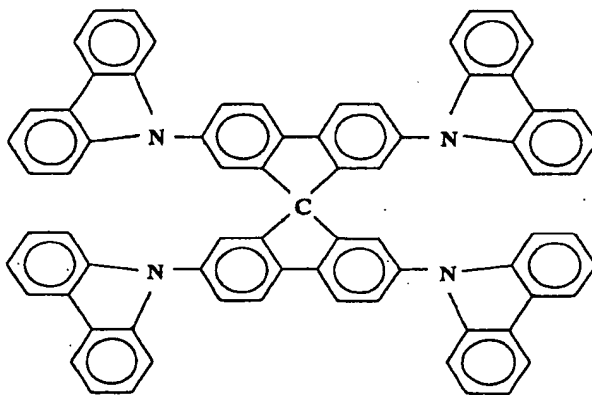
a hole blocking layer provided adjacent to said luminescent layer,

wherein said hole blocking layer comprises a material expressed by the following formula



, and

wherein said host material comprises a material expressed by the following formula



6. (Original) An electronic appliance comprising said light emitting device according to claim 5, wherein said electronic appliance is selected from the group consisting of an organic electroluminescence display, a video camera, a digital camera, a portable computer, a personal computer, a mobile telephone, and an acoustic equipment.

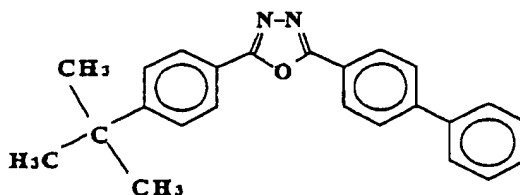
7. (Currently amended) A light emitting device comprising an electroluminescence element, said electroluminescence element comprising:

at least a luminescent layer comprising an organic compound, said luminescent layer capable of converting triplet excitation energy into light to be emitted;

a host material for said luminescent layer; and

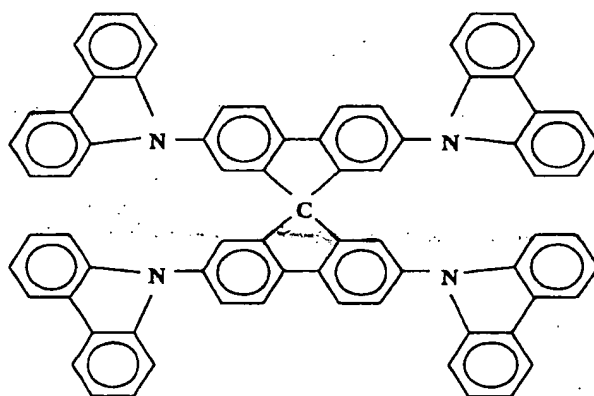
a hole blocking layer provided adjacent to said luminescent layer,

wherein said hole blocking layer comprises a material expressed by the following formula



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wherein said host material comprises a material expressed by the following formula



8. (Original) An electronic appliance comprising said light emitting device according to claim 7, wherein said electronic appliance is selected from the group consisting of an organic electroluminescence display, a video camera, a digital camera, a portable computer, a personal computer, a mobile telephone, and an acoustic equipment.

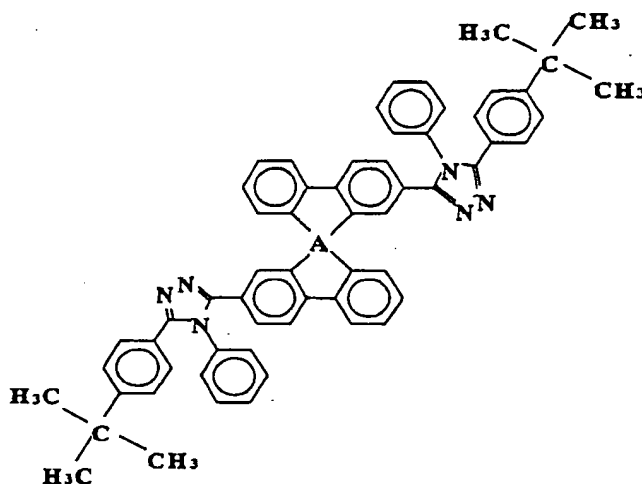
9. (Currently amended) A light emitting device comprising an electroluminescence element, said electroluminescence element comprising:

at least a luminescent layer comprising an organic compound, said luminescent layer capable of converting triplet excitation energy into light to be emitted; and

a hole blocking layer provided adjacent to said luminescent layer,

wherein said hole blocking layer comprises a material expressed by the following formula, and

wherein "A" indicates one of carbon or silicon



10. (Original) An electronic appliance comprising said light emitting device according to claim 9, wherein said electronic appliance is selected from the group consisting of an organic electroluminescence display, a video camera, a digital camera, a portable computer, a personal computer, a mobile telephone, and an acoustic equipment.

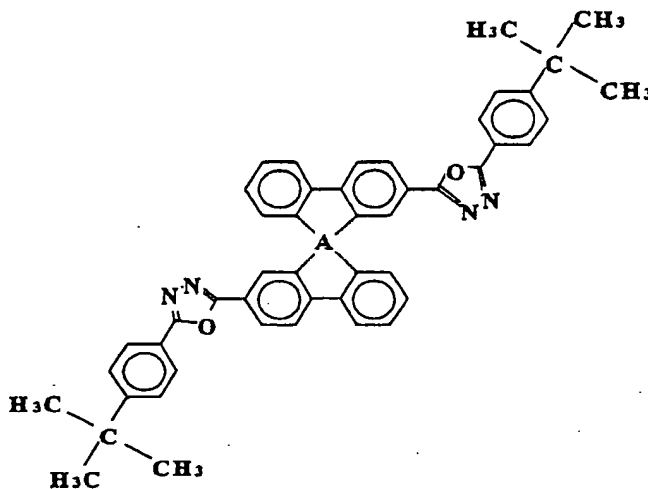
11. (Currently amended) A light emitting device comprising an electroluminescence element, said electroluminescence element comprising:

at least a luminescent layer comprising an organic compound, said luminescent layer capable of converting triplet excitation energy into light to be emitted; and

a hole blocking layer provided adjacent to said luminescent layer,

wherein said hole blocking layer comprises a material expressed by the following formula, and

wherein "A" indicates one of carbon or silicon



12. (Original) An electronic appliance comprising said light emitting device according to claim 11, wherein said electronic appliance is selected from the group consisting of an organic electroluminescence display, a video camera, a digital camera, a portable computer, a personal computer, a mobile telephone, and an acoustic equipment.